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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

U.S. Application of: Takeshi MORIKAWA
For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS CAPABLE OF IMAGE
FORMATION IN A PLURALITY OF MODES

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner, mailed December 17, 2002 and the Advisory Action, mailed April 4, 2003, finally rejecting Claims 4-6, 13-16 and 23-35.

A Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time is filed concurrently herewith.

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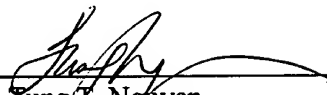
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